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Re: Cooke Aquaculture

Dear John:

As you know, the United States Attorney's Office and the Environmental Protection Agency Criminal Investigation Division are investigating potential violations of criminal law related to Cooke Aquaculture's release of Atlantic salmon into Puget Sound in August 2017. As we previously discussed, the government is planning to interview Cooke employees, including the employees listed on the following page. While you and I had originally discussed conducting the interviews in May, we are now planning to do so in late June or early July.

I understand that [REDACTED] represents [REDACTED]. Please advise me whether any of the witnesses listed on the attached page are also represented by counsel, and if so, let me know who the attorney is. I would also be happy to discuss with you whether separate counsel may be appropriate for any of these witnesses. In addition, if any of these witnesses are no longer employed by the company, please advise me of that fact.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours truly,

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Cooke Employees to Be Interviewed

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